

You have the right to not suffer from any adverse employment action, such as termination or discrimination, regarding your employment conditions because you reported or were about to report to a government agency or your employer, verbally or in writing, a violation or a suspected violation of a law or a contract executed by the government.

You have the right to not suffer from any adverse employment action because you participated in an investigation, hearing or inquiry conducted by a government agency or court of law.

If you believe your employer has violated this law, you may file a lawsuit in state court within 2 years after the occurrence of the alleged violation.

This notice provides general background information on Hawaii Whistleblower Protection Law and is not intended to serve as a substitute for legal counsel. For specific legal advice on individual situations, please consult an attorney.

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